

Beutler and Senator Vickers to not hold the Executive Session on Tuesday because that day I was going to be absent. I think maybe that's the first day I've been absent for I don't know how long. Maybe...I have one of the best attendance records in here and I noted that today on Final Reading some people wanted to pass over certain bills and so everybody obliged them and there was no problem. But my request to Senator Beutler and Senator Vickers was not honored. I guess...I don't think it was important that that bill be advanced yesterday while I was not here. I think it could have been done today or tomorrow or maybe even next week and the outcome would have been the same. I think it would have been nice and I would have appreciated the courtesy of having had the opportunity to sit in on that executive meeting and state my views, you know, but they did not advance me that courtesy. They were not willing to do that for me and I want all you people just to know that that's what happened and I resent it and I feel a slow burning tide of anger which I'm sure I'll be able to control, but I do deeply resent that the committee went ahead and acted on one of the very few days that I was absent. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marsh, do you wish recognition?

SENATOR MARSH: Thank you, Mr. President. I think after listening for three and a half hours to the Senator the other evening at the public hearing with all of his comments, some of us did not choose to have to listen longer.

PRESIDENT: Do you have matters to read into the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do. Your Committee of the Executive Board gives notice of public hearing for Monday, March 11.

Banking Committee offers LB 452 to General File; 63 to General File with amendments; 613 General File with amendments and 691 to General File with amendments, all those signed by Senator DeCamp. (See pages 665-68 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, the...